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## APPENDIX I

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. article 1.121(c)(1)(ii), amended claims 23 and 36 are set forth in a marked-up version below;

23. (amended) A treatment apparatus for treating an object to be treated containing organic halides or being capable of generating organic halides by heating, comprising:

means for heating the object;

a hermetic zone;

means for introducing [the] <u>a</u> heated residue to the hermetic zone;

means for purging the hermetic zone by a purge gas which is substantially organic halide-free [(which is short of organic halides)]; and

means for cooling the heated residue.

36. (amended) A treatment method,

wherein a heated residue containing residual dioxins generated from waste disposal facilities[,] and factories [,and the like] is treated while being heated with a reduction in pressure.